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Entitled: Method and communications device for adapting the data transfer rate in a communications device

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